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JMPR at the Finish Line!

- **Final Environmental Impact Statement is out! Go to JMPR Website to download document** - <http://sanctuaries.noaa.gov/jointplan/>
- **First week in November - the Final Management Plans (for all 3 sites) will be released**
- **Simultaneously, the Final Rule (this includes the updated set of regulations) will be published in a federal register notice and released to the Public**
- **The Final Rule will become effective after “45 days of continuous session of Congress” This will likely occur in February or early March**



Distribution Plan

- **We will have CDROMS to distribute that contain all 5 final documents including the FEIS, 3 Management Plans and Final Rule**
- **Hard copies of Management Plan will be available for all Advisory Council members and will be available in local libraries**
- **All documents will be posted and downloadable on the JMPR website (link is <http://sanctuaries.noaa.gov/jointplan/>)**



Ideas for Outreach?

- **December Advisory Council meeting options**
 - Spend some time looking over management plan and regulations?
 - Add a separate session or use time during the meeting?
- **Party and/or event to celebrate ending this long process and starting the implementation phase?**
- **Outreach ideas to get the word out to all constituents?**